**Today’s Light**

Week 6 – March 8

**Monday, March 8**

Read Exodus 5-6

Zoom In – Trusting the Lord does not mean twiddling our thumbs. After God reassured Moses, He gave Moses and Aaron a new assignment: “Tell Pharaoh . . . all that I say to you” (6:29). We do what we can do. At the same time, we trust our Savior-God with those things only He can do.

**Tuesday, March 9**

Read Exodus 7

Zoom In – The ten plagues did not occur at random. They attacked the “gods” worshiped by the Egyptians. Compare Exodus 7:5 and Numbers 33:4.

**Wednesday, March 10**

Read Exodus 8-9

Zoom In – God’s message to Pharaoh did not change. “Let My people go,” the Lord thundered over and over again. “My people”. How wonderful those words sound. Even in our sin and doubt, our Savior-God claims us as His own. He is not ashamed to be called our God (Hebrews 11:16).

**Thursday, March 11**

Read Exodus 10

Zoom In – In the plagues of Egypt, we see God at work to judge sin and to deliver His people. But the defining moment for both justice and mercy came at the cross. White-hot judgment. An endless steam of mercy. That mercy flows, even now, for us in Christ.

**Friday, March 12**

Read Exodus 11-12

Zoom In – The Passover Lamb, separated from the flock from the tenth to the fourteenth day of the month, may have been kept in a special pen or perhaps even in the house. Even in that short time, it would have become a family friend, almost a pet. Then it would die. In a small way, the grief and loss the family felt would mirror the heavenly Father’s pain at the death of that Lamb to come. And the death of the lamb would etch a hard truth on the hearts of all of God’s people – sin exacts a terrible price. A price our Lord willingly paid, despite the pain, for us.

**Saturday, March 13**

Read Exodus 13

Zoom In – You may want to read the rest of Psalm 105. It’s a powerful summary of what the Lord was up to throughout most of Genesis, Exodus, and Numbers.